

**Chambers of Circuit Judge Mary Beck Briscoe**

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**Mary Beck Briscoe**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Kansas 1969 BA, 1973 JD; Virginia 1990 LLM  
Began Service: May 31, 1995  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Attorney-Examiner, Financial Division, Interstate Commerce Commission (1973-1974); Assistant United States Attorney, District of Kansas, United States Department of Justice (1974-1984)

**Judicial:** Judge, Kansas Court of Appeals (1984-1990); Chief Judge, Kansas Court of Appeals (1990-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Researcher, Harold L. Haun, Attorney (1973)

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Clifford W. Berlow** ..... (785) 843-4067  
Began Service: September 4, 2007  
Term Expires: September 2008  
Education: Northwestern 2007 JD  
Law Clerk **Andrew Goetz** ..... (785) 843-4067  
Began Service: August 6, 2007  
Term Expires: September 2008  
Education: Michigan 2007 JD  
Law Clerk **Mark T. Knights** ..... (785) 843-4067  
Began Service: August 20, 2007  
Term Expires: September 2008  
Education: George Washington 2007 JD  
Career Law Clerk **Tracy Venters** ..... (785) 843-4067  
Education: Kansas 1988 JD  
Secretary **Carol Barnthson** ..... (785) 843-4067

**Chambers of Circuit Judge Carlos F. Lucero**

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**Carlos F. Lucero**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1940  
Education: Adams State 1961 BA; George Washington 1964 JD  
Began Service: July 22, 1995  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
Political Affiliation: Democrat

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable William E. Doyle, United States District Court for the District of Colorado (1964-1965)

**Government:** Staff Assistant, Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure, Committee on the Judiciary, United States Senate (1963-1964)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Law Office of Jesse E. Pound (1965-1966); Partner, Pound & Lucero (1966-1980); Partner, Lucero, Lester & Sigmond (1980-1995)

**Current Memberships:** American College of Trial Lawyers; International Academy of Trial Lawyers; International Society of Barristers

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Jefferey Bailey** ..... (303) 844-2200  
Began Service: 2007  
Education: Brigham Young 2001 BS; George Washington 2007 JD  
Law Clerk **Meredith Johnston** ..... (303) 844-2200  
Began Service: 2007  
Education: Yale 2000 BA; NYU 2006 JD  
Law Clerk **Christopher Montville** ..... (303) 844-2200  
Began Service: 2007  
Education: Rutgers 2000 BS; Duke 2007 JD  
Law Clerk **Sarah Parady** ..... (303) 844-2200  
Began Service: 2007  
Education: Simon's Rock 2003 BA; NYU 2007 JD

**Chambers of Circuit Judge Carlos F. Lucero continued**

Judicial Assistant **Stephanie Morelee** ..... (303) 844-2200  
Education: Metro State Col Denver 1989 BS

**Chambers of Circuit Judge Michael R. Murphy**

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**Michael R. Murphy**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Creighton 1969 BA; Wyoming 1972 JD  
Began Service: October 5, 1995  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable David Lewis, United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit (1972-1973)

**Judicial:** Judge, Utah District Court, Third Judicial District (1986-1995)

**Legal Practice:** Jones, Waldo, Holbrook & McDonough (1973-1986)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The Giles S. Rich American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Utah Bar Association

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Jessica Hayden** ..... (801) 524-5955  
Began Service: September 4, 2007  
Term Expires: August 31, 2008  
Education: Georgetown 2007 JD  
Law Clerk **Maggie Smith** ..... (801) 524-5955  
Began Service: August 27, 2007  
Term Expires: August 31, 2008  
Education: Michigan 2007 JD  
Career Law Clerk **Susan G. Lawrence** ..... (801) 524-5955  
Education: Syracuse 1988 JD  
Career Law Clerk **Del J. Ross** ..... (801) 524-5955  
Education: Utah 1993 JD

**Chambers of Circuit Judge Harris L. Hartz**

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**Harris L. Hartz**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Harvard 1967 AB, 1972 JD  
Began Service: December 2001  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Academic:** Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Illinois College of Law (1976)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of New Mexico, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Gerald Ford Administration (1972-1975); Counsel and Executive Director, Governor's Commission on Organized Crime Prevention, Office of the Governor, State of New Mexico (1976-1979)

**Judicial:** Judge, New Mexico Court of Appeals (1988-1999)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Poole, Tinnin & Martin, PA (1979-1982); Associate, Miller, Stratvert & Torgerson, P.A. (1982-1983); Shareholder, Miller, Stratvert & Torgerson, P.A. (1983-1988); Special Counsel, Stier, Anderson & Malone (1999-2001)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The American Law Institute

**Chambers of Circuit Judge Harris L. Hartz continued**

Staff  
Judicial Assistant **Claudette Romero** ..... (505) 843-6196  
Education: Albuquerque BS

**Chambers of Circuit Judge Terrence L. O'Brien**

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**Terrence L. O'Brien**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1943  
Education: Wyoming 1965 BS, 1972 JD  
Began Service: April 23, 2002  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Corporate:** President, Visionary Communications, Inc. (2000-2001)

**Government:** Staff Attorney, Appellate Section, Land and Natural Resources Division, United States Department of Justice (1972-1974)

**Judicial:** Judge, Sixth Judicial District Court of Wyoming (1998-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Proprietor and Associate, Omohundro and O'Brien (1974-1980)

**Military Service:** United States Army, Ordnance Corps (1966-1969)

**Staff**

Law Clerk **Susan Lehman** ..... (307) 433-2400  
Law Clerk **Michael McGrady** ..... (307) 433-2400  
Began Service: September 2006  
Term Expires: September 2008  
Law Clerk **Andrea Wayne** ..... (307) 433-2400  
Began Service: August 2007  
Law Clerk **Nicole Zomberg** ..... (307) 433-2400  
Education: Washburn JD  
Administrative Judicial Assistant **Melissa Martinez** ..... (307) 433-2400

**Chambers of Circuit Judge Michael W. McConnell**

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**Michael W. McConnell**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: May 18, 1955  
Education: Michigan State 1976 BA; Chicago 1979 JD  
Began Service: December 5, 2002  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Affiliation:** Presidential Professor, University of Utah

**Academic:** Assistant Professor of Law, Law School, University of Chicago (1985-1989); Professor of Law, Law School, University of Chicago (1989-1992); William B. Graham Professor of Law, Law School, University of Chicago (1992-1996); Visiting Professor, College of Law, University of Utah (1994-1995); Visiting Professor, Harvard Law School, Harvard University (1999)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Chief Judge J. Skelly Wright, United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit (1979-1980); Law Clerk, Associate Justice William J. Brennan, The Supreme Court of the United States (1980-1981)

**Government:** Assistant General Counsel, Office of Management and Budget, Executive Office of the President, Ronald Reagan Administration (1981-1983); Assistant to the Solicitor General, Office of the Solicitor General, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1983-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Special Consultant, Mayer, Brown & Platt (1989-2002)

**Chambers of Circuit Judge Timothy M. Tymkovich**

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**Timothy M. Tymkovich**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: November 2, 1956  
Education: Colorado Col 1979 BA; Colorado 1982 JD  
Began Service: June 19, 2003  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Colorado Supreme Court (1982-1983)

**Government:** Solicitor General, Colorado State University System (1991-1996)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Davis Graham & Stubbs LLP (1983-1989); Partner, Hale, Hackstaff, Tymkovich & ErkenBrack (1996-2003)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The American Law Institute; Colorado Bar Foundation, Colorado Bar Association; International Society of Barristers

**Staff**

Secretary **Pearl Donder** ..... (303) 335-3300

**Chambers of Circuit Judge Jerome A. Holmes**

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**Jerome A. Holmes**  
Circuit Judge

Education: Wake Forest 1983 BA; Georgetown 1988 JD; John F Kennedy 2000 MPA  
Began Service: August 2006  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, District Judge Wayne E. Alley, United States District Court for the Western District of Oklahoma (1988-1990); Law Clerk, Chief Judge William J. Holloway, Jr., United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit (1990-1991)

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, Criminal Division, Oklahoma - Western District, United States Department of Justice (1994-2005); Deputy Chief, Criminal Division, Oklahoma - Western District, United States Department of Justice (1996-2004); Anti-Terrorism Coordinator, Office of the Assistant U.S. Attorney, Oklahoma - Western District, United States Department of Justice (2003-2005)

**Legal Practice:** Chair, Diversity Committee, Crowe & Dunlevy

**Current Memberships:** Oklahoma Bar Association

**Chambers of Circuit Judge Neil M. Gorsuch**

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**Neil M. Gorsuch**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1967  
Education: Columbia 1988 BA; Harvard 1991 JD; Oxford (UK) 2004 DPhil  
Began Service: August 2006  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Circuit Judge David B. Sentelle, United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit (1991-1992); Law Clerk, Associate Justice Byron R. White, Supreme Court of the United States (1993-1994); Law Clerk, Associate Justice Anthony M. Kennedy, Supreme Court of the United States (1993-1994)

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